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**Subject:** Back to Delta in press release (but more general)  
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Brenda,  
Can you live with this?

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**From:** Gartner, Lois  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 11, 2014 9:44 AM  
**To:** Jeng, Terry; Myers, Robert; Wells, Suzanne  
**Subject:** Please Review Language for NPL Press Release  
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Terry and Bob- OSWER is insisting about using and naming two site-specific examples in the press release to demonstrate "mismanagement. The language they have sent to OEA follows immediately. Can we live with this inclusion? I was thinking it was general enough that it might be ok. I told Randy Deitz that the Delta site was one we had removed b/c of Regional concerns.

**Examples of sites EPA is adding to the NPL today include the Jard Company Inc. site where polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), used in the manufacturing process were released into the former building structure and soils on the property which contaminated area groundwater. And at the Delta Shipyard site, heavy metals and other hazardous wastes were released from disposal ponds which contaminated area soils, groundwater and surface waters. Without NPL site listing and cleanup, contamination would continue to pose a risk to human health and the environment.**

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